

# UNITED STATES ENVIRONMENTAL PROTECTION AGENCY WASHINGTON, D.C. 20460

OFFICE OF PREVENTION, PESTICIDES AND TOXIC SUBSTANCES

#### Job Fair Announcement April 3-4, 2008

The U. S. Environmental Protection Agency's Office of Prevention, Pesticides and Toxic Substances (OPPTS) will host a job fair on April 3 (9:00am - 4:00pm) and April 4 (9:00am - 12 noon). The job fair will be held at EPA's offices in the Potomac Yard South Building, 1st Floor Conference Center, 2777 Crystal Drive, Arlington, Virginia.

OPPTS is seeking entry level candidates (GS-05/07/09 grade level) for the following positions: Biologists, Chemists, Ecologists, Environmental Scientists and Engineers, Toxicologists, Economists, Industrial Hygienists, and Environmental Protection Specialists. In order to apply for these positions, candidates must have a college degree (or will be receiving a college degree within the near future), and/or relevant experience.

There are two major program offices within OPPTS seeking candidates at this job fair:

The Office of Pesticide Programs (OPP) --

OPP regulates the use of all pesticides in the United States, ensuring that Americans are not exposed to unsafe levels of pesticides in food, protecting from unreasonable risk and educating those who apply or are exposed to pesticides occupationally or through use of products, and protecting the environment and special ecosystems from potential risks posed by pesticides. OPP is located in Arlington, Virginia, at the Potomac Yard South Building at 2777 Crystal Drive.

The Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics (OPPT) -- OPPT promotes the use of safer chemicals, processes, and technologies; promotes life-cycle management of environmental problems such as asbestos; and, advances pollution prevention

through voluntary action by industry. OPPT is located in Washington, D.C., at the EPA East building on 12<sup>th</sup> Street and Constitution Avenue, N.W.

We would appreciate if you would disseminate this information to your students and job placement/career counseling departments. The flyer also provides links to other sources of information about our programs and the job fair.

For more information, please use the following email address: OPPTS\_Job\_Fair@epamail.epa.gov.

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# The Offices of Pesticide Programs & Pollution Prevention and Toxics invite you to attend our Job Fair

One Potomac Yard, 2777 Crystal Drive Arlington, VA 22202

Thursday, April 3, 2008 — 9am to 4pm Friday, April 4, 2008 — 9am to noon



Positions available: Biologists, Chemists, Ecologists, Environmental Scientists and Engineers, Toxicologists, Economists, Industrial Hygienists and Environmental Protection Specialists

See the back of this flyer for more information about the Job Fair, or email: OPPTS\_Job\_Fair@epamail.epa.gov

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#### Who are we?

The <u>Office of Pesticide Programs</u> regulates the use of all pesticides in the US, ensuring no exposure to unsafe levels of pesticides in food, protecting from unreasonable risk and educating those who apply or are exposed to pesticides occupationally or through use of products. We also protect the environment and special ecosystems from potential risks posed by pesticides. Check us out at http://www.epa.gov/pesticides

The Office of Pollution Prevention and Toxics evaluates new and existing chemicals and their risks, finds ways to prevent or reduce pollution before it gets into the environment, and manages a variety of environmental stewardship programs that encourage companies to reduce and prevent pollution. Check us out at http://www.epa.gov/oppt

### Why should I come?

This Job Fair offers you a great opportunity to launch your career. Please join us. Admittance is free!

#### How do I get there?

#### By Metro

Take the blue or yellow lines to the Crystal City station. At the street level, take the 9S Metro Bus to our building.

#### By Car

Traveling north on Jefferson Davis Highway (Route 1), turn right at the traffic light onto 27th Street (if traveling south, turn left). At Crystal Drive, turn left. Commercial underground parking is available across the street from Two Potomac Yard.

#### By Plane

Travel to Ronald Reagan Washington National Airport. Then, follow the By Metro directions.

## What should I Bring?

We'll need your valid photo ID, at least two (2) copies of your resume, a copy of all college transcripts and references, and a copy of any current Notification of Personnel Action (SF-50), if applicable.

If you are eligible for Veterans' Preference, you also must bring a copy of your DD-214 (member copy 4) for each period of service (either 5- or 10-point). For 10-Point Preference, also bring your application for 10-Point Preference (Standard Form 15) with documentary proof.

Information on Veterans' Preference can be found at: http://www.opm.gov/veterans/html/vetguide.asp

Note: U.S. Citizenship is <u>mandatory</u>.